

STATE OF IOWA
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
UTILITIES BOARD

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| IN RE: INTERSTATE POWER AND LIGHT COMPANY | DOCKET NO. RPU-02-7 |
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ORDER SETTING DATE TO FILE FOR CONFIDENTIAL TREATMENT

(Issued November 8, 2002)

On October 28, 2002, the Consumer Advocate Division of the Department of Justice (Consumer Advocate) filed its prefiled direct testimony in Docket No. RPU-02-7. Consumer Advocate filed portions of the direct testimony as confidential pursuant to a claim of confidentiality made by Interstate Power and Light Company (IPL).

The Board will not release the portions of the direct testimony marked as confidential by Consumer Advocate to allow IPL an opportunity to file a request for confidential treatment pursuant to 199 IAC 1.9. The Board will also set a date for objections to any request for confidential treatment made by IPL.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED:

1. Interstate Power and Light Company may file a request for confidential treatment for those portions of the direct testimony of the Consumer Advocate Division of the Department of Justice marked confidential on or before November 12, 2002,

2. Objections to the request for confidential treatment shall be filed on or before November 19, 2002.

UTILITIES BOARD

/s/ Diane Munns

/s/ Mark O. Lambert

ATTEST:

/s/ Judi K. Cooper
Executive Secretary

/s/ Elliott Smith

Dated at Des Moines, Iowa, this 8th day of November, 2002.